

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

PROFESSOR LAURA BENY,

Plaintiff,

v.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
BOARD OF REGENTS, and DEAN
OF UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
LAW SCHOOL MARK D. WEST, (In
His Individual/Personal Capacity),

Defendants.

Case No. 2:22-cv-12021-DML-EAS

Hon. David M. Lawson,
United States District Judge

Hon. Elizabeth A. Stafford,
Magistrate Judge

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL AS COUNSEL

Ms. Krista Perry Heckmann hereby notices her intent to withdraw as counsel for Defendants in the above-captioned matter. Ms. Heckmann will be leaving Jones Day on July 15, 2025 in order to care for her daughter.

To the extent necessary after appeal, Defendants will continue to be represented by Amanda K. Rice, Andrew J. Clopton, Jack Williams, Jr., Matthew E. Papez, Patrick M. Corley, and Brian M. Schwartz.

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.25(b)(2), Ms. Heckmann respectfully requests that the Court grant permission for her to withdraw as counsel in this case.

Dated: July 11, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on July 11, 2025, I caused the foregoing document to be filed with the Clerk of the Court using CM/ECF, which will effectuate service upon all counsel of record.

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